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**BY ECF**

The Honorable Susan D. Wigenton  
United States District Judge  
Martin Luther King Building  
& United States Courthouse  
50 Walnut Street  
Newark, NJ 07101

Re: United States v. John A. Bennett, No. 09 Cr. 656 (SDW)

Dear Judge Wigenton:

On behalf of the defendant John Bennett, I write on consent to request the following briefing schedule for Mr. Bennett's Rule 29 and Rule 33 motions:

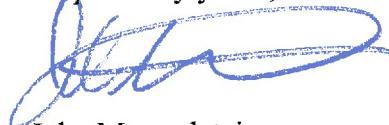
Friday, April 15, 2016—Defendant's Rule 29 and Rule 33 motions due.

Monday, May 16, 2016—Government's opposition papers due.

Wednesday, June 1, 2016—Defendant's reply due.

I have consulted with counsel for the government, who have consented to this request.

Respectfully yours,



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